

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested.

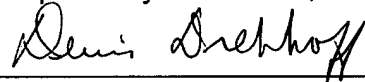
Modification of the Listing of the Claims brings the claims in concurrence with 37 CFR 1.121 as amended on June 30, 2003.

If the examiner has additional questions or comments about the Listing of the Claims, the amendment or the application, he is requested to call the undersigned.

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Date

Respectfully submitted,



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